

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Pithapuram Municipality - Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District - Disciplinary Proceedings instituted under Rule-20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Enquiry conducted – Imposed penalty withholding of Two(2) Annual Grade Increments without cumulative effect – Orders - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.II-2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 697

Dated:14.10.2015
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.114, MA&UD(L1) Dept., dated.20.01.2009.
- 2.WSD of Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then MC, dt.27.02.2009.
3. G.O.Rt.No. 1639, MA&UD(L1) Dept dt.17.12.2011.
- 4.From Enquiry Officer D.O.Lr.No.377/COI.LP/2011-1, dt.24.04.2012.
5. Govt.Memo No.22726/L1/2005-45, dt.21.07.2012.
- 6.Served copy of Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then MC, Dated 23.12.2014.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, orders have been issued framing the following articles of charges against Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District under Rule-20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 for committing certain irregularities in Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District:-

CHARGE No.1:-

That Sri A.Muneswara Rao, Municipal Commissioner has failed to supervise the maintenance of Deposit Registers and advances registers in which number of advances were taken but not adjusted.

CHARGE No.2:-

That Sri A.Muneswara Rao, Municipal Commissioner has failed to supervise the proper maintenance of Revenue records and issue of receipts without containing the Municipal Commissioner facsimile.

CHARGE No.3:-

That Sri A.Muneswara Rao, Municipal Commissioner has failed to supervise the renewal of shop rooms and leased out shop rooms.

CHARGE No.4:-

That with above mentioned Commissions and omissions exhibited his lack of integrity, devotion and dedication to duty, and thereby contravened Rule 3 of APCS (Conduct) Rules 1964.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the charged officer Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner while denying all charges framed against him has submitted his written statement of defence. On the examination of the matter and as not convincing the explanation therein, Government have appointed the Enquiry Officer to conduct regular enquiry in the matter vide reference 3rd read above.

3. In the reference 4th read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted his enquiry report and out of four charges, three charges framed against Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District are held proved.

4. In the reference 5th read above, copy of Enquiry Report was communicated to the Charged Officers including to Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District to offer the representations in terms of Rule 21(2) of APCS(CCA) Rules, 1991. In the reference 6th read above, the served copy of Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District has been received through CDMA, AP, Hyderabad. The written representation of the charged officer has not been received even after lapse of stipulated time.

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5. Government after careful examination of the matter and keeping in view of the three charges proved hereby impose a penalty of withholding of Two(2) Annual Grade Increments without cumulative effect against Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District in terms of Rule-9 of APCS(CCA) Rules, 1991.

6. The Director of Municipal Administration, A.P, Hyderabad shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R. KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri A. Muneswara Rao, the then Municipal Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District – **through** the Director of Municipal Administration, A.P, Hyderabad.
The Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Secretary to APVC, AP Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Regional Director-Cum-Appellate Commissioner of Municipal Administration, Rajahmundry.

The Commissioner, Pithapuram Municipality, East Godavari District.

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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER